

CITY OFFICIALS' BONDS.

NOT REQUIRED TO PATRONIZE GUARANTEE COMPANIES.

Negro hoodlums on the rampage—A Man Who wanted Water Very Badly.

Knights of Pythias.

MANCHESTER BUREAU, RICHMOND TIMES. 1

At a meeting of the Finance Committee, held in the City Auditor's office last night, there were present Messrs. W. W. Pool

(chairman), C. H. Sims, Matthew Morton, and W. T. Hart. City Attorney William

C. Clifton was also in attendance.

The committee transacted a large amount of routine business, ordering the

payment of a number of bills.

The question was referred to this committee as to what bond would be required

from the city officials, and what amount the city would be willing to pay for their

bonds. This was a clause in the report of the Retrenchment Committee.

Mr. Pool, who was also chairman of that committee, said he had created the

guarantee companies only to consent for one year, and under these circumstances

he preferred having individuals put up with the report was referred back to the

Council, with the understanding that the committee did not concur in it.

This will leave the city officials' bonds as they have been heretofore, and they

will not be required to patronize guarantee companies. It will be a great relief

to the officials of the city of Manchester.

HOODLUMS ON A RAMPADE.

A number of Richmond darkeys had a high old time on Seventh street Monday

night. They were all drunk and amused themselves in different ways until they

arrived in front of the store of Mr. Powell, near the bridge. In front of the

store there was standing a number of beer barrels. They took these barrels

and placed them on the street car track and waited to see if a street car

would come by and enjoy the result of the collision. Fortunately the motorman saw the

pile of barrels before the car came, and he stopped the car before it struck them.

The noise attracted the attention of a number of young white men, who repaired to the scene. The negroes pulled out

pistols and commenced firing. The white men were not armed, so they got out of the way and left the negroes masters of the situation.

The car was dented, and the barrels were broken. The negroes were

arrested and taken to the police station. The car was repaired and the barrels

were replaced. The negroes were released after paying the cost of the damage.

HE WANTED WATER BADLY.

The family of Mr. John Talley, who lives on Hull street near the canal, was

aroused yesterday morning by a man who had gotten into the yard. The man

was dressed in a dark suit and a white shirt. He was holding a pistol in his

right hand and a bottle of water in his left. He was shouting "I want water!"

The man went to a door leading into the yard and knocked for admission, and

insisted upon entering the house. He was asked what he wanted, and he said

that he wanted water. He was then taken to the kitchen, where he was given a

glass of water. He drank it and then he was taken to the front of the house.

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THE CENTRAL REVIVAL.

Dr. Geo. C. Vandenberg reached a very

earnest and impressive sermon at Central

church Monday night from Mat. 11, 2, 4.

The revival services at this church have

been very successful. Dr. Vandenberg on

the first night, but will continue to give

services at his own church will allow.

There was a good attendance last

night, and his meetings promise to do

much good. The pastor, Rev. W. W. Pool,

will be present at the service on Monday

night, and will be assisted by Mr. L. L. L.

Lear, who is a very able and earnest

worker, and an earnest Christian worker.

BRIEF AND PERSONALS.

Mr. W. J. Carter has returned home

from a pleasant trip in the western part

of the State.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Brotherhood

of Locomotive Engineers will give an

entertaining social at the Grays' Hall

on Monday night, March 23rd. Madam

Jarvis's Wax Works will be the leading

feature of the evening. The Grays' Hall

will be engaged to furnish music.

Mr. A. B. Day was in the city on business

yesterday morning.

Mr. J. E. Stonaker paid the city a

visit today.

Mr. Robert Criddle, of Swansboro, re-

fused to be a candidate for Justice of the

Peace of that town. He is under

obligation to his friends for their kindness

in asking him to serve, but his business

will not permit him to do so.

The young people of Manchester are

enjoying the beautiful weather in getting

members of the Junior League out of the

water.

Miss Amelia Blankenship, of Drewry's

Bluff, is the guest of Miss Lucy Thorn-

ton.

Mr. Ned Archer, of Belle Isle saw-mill,

was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Henry Blankenship has been visit-

ing in the city.

Mrs. D. E. Lipcomb is in New York

on business.

Mrs. J. E. Stonaker was given at the residence

of Mrs. Gary, on Porter street, Monday

evening for the benefit of the Manchester

Ladies Auxiliary. Each one of the

donors donated a sum of silver to-

wards paying the church debt.

Woman's Auxiliary.

A union meeting of the various par-

ochial branches of the Woman's Aux-

iliary took place at the residence of

Mrs. Gary, on Porter street, Monday

evening. The meeting was held at 12

o'clock to-morrow, which is the Feast

of the Annunciation, in the Church of

the Holy Trinity. Miss Sallie Stuart, of

Alexandria, Secretary of the Aux-

iliary, will make an address, and it is

after the stirring order of those at last

year, will give a real impetus to the

life of the branches.

His Condition Unchanged.

The condition of General Peyton Wiso,

whose illness assumed a rather serious

phase on Monday, was unchanged

yesterday. General Wiso has been suffer-

ing with throat and ear trouble for some

weeks past. His health has not been

good since the Confederate reunion,

when he was subjected to great mental

and physical strain in arranging the

preliminaries for that event.

For the North Carolina Room.

The ladies of the committee belonging

to the North Carolina room of the Con-

federate Southern bureau, are planning

to have a large attendance present

at the performance of the play, "The

AUCTION SALES—This Day.

By George H. Valentine, Auctioneer,

323 east Broad street.

MAY AUCTION SALE TO-DAY AT 10:30

P. M. A. M. will embrace 2 New Parlor

Suits, in brocade (cherry frame); Oak

Chamber Suite; Oak Buffet, plate-glass

mirror; Oak Dining Table; 1 Square

Piano; 1 Parlor Organ; Tables; Brass

Arm-Chairs; Rocking Chairs; Banquet

and Lullaby Chairs; 1 Bedstead; 1

Assorted Symples; Large Stove Lamp, &c.

Also, lot Cashmere Patterns for Suits and

Pants; 4 pairs New Pants; 3 dozen

land Baking Powder; and many sundry

articles. Consignments solicited.

GEO. H. VALENTINE,

Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALES—Future Day.

By E. A. Callin, Auctioneer,

No. 6 north Eleventh street.

TRUSTEES' SALE

OF THE

Land of the Va. Agricultural

and Mechanical Society,

COMMONLY KNOWN AS THE

FAIR GROUNDS.

In execution of a deed of trust to us

from the Virginia State Agricultural and

Mechanical Society, dated June 20, 1891,

of record in the clerk's office of Henrico

County Court, Book 12, Page 29, default

having been made in the principal

of the bonds secured by said deed

amounting to \$2500, such default having

continued for more than forty days after

the maturity of said bonds, and default

having been made in the payment of

said interest, and the title to be

retained until the whole purchase-money

is paid and a conveyance is ordered by

the Court.

ALLEN G. COLLINS,

R. L. MONTAGUE,

Special Commissioners.

In front of said property, on Broad street,

in the city of Richmond, Va., sell that

portion of said TRACT OF LAND known

as the Fair Grounds, bounded on the

north by the city of Richmond, on the

east by the city of Richmond, on the

south by the city of Richmond, and on

the west by the city of Richmond, and

containing about 100 acres of land, more

or less, of which the said tract is

situated adjacent to the north-west of

the city of Richmond, and is bounded

on the north by the city of Richmond,

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AUCTION SALES—Future Days.

By Channing & Rose,

Real Estate Auctioneers.

COMMISSIONERS' AUCTION SALE

OF LOTS IN FULTON AND DIS-

NEEN'S ADDITION.

Wilson and Wilson

against

Beveridge et al.,

and

Hardgrave et al.

Beveridge et al.

In the Chancery Court of the city of Rich-

mond, decree of July 27, 1894.

In pursuance of the above-mentioned

decree, the undersigned special commis-

sioners, hereby appointed for the pur-

pose, will sell by auction, upon the pre-

mises,

FRIDAY, THE 20TH DAY OF MARCH,

1897, AT 4:30 O'CLOCK P. M.,

1st. Lot commencing at the intersection

of Gilliam street and fronting on the south

line of Graham street 30 feet and run-

ning back between parallel lines 140 feet

to an alley 10 feet wide, and then west-

wardly to the south line of Lot No. 1, in

square 20, of the

plan of Fulton.

Immediately after the sale of above lot,

in square 20, of the plan of Fulton, 30

feet east of Gilliam street, thence run-

ning 20 feet along the south line of Gra-

ham and back to the south line of Lot

No. 1, to an alley 10 feet wide.

Also, say at 6 o'clock sharp, Lots Nos.

114, 115, and 116, and

the south line of the lot, fronting 140

feet on the south of Brookland street,

commencing at a point 38 feet west of

Lloyd's property, containing 1